

Midway Minority Scholarship

2021-2022 Application Information

The Midway Minority Scholarship is a competitive scholarship that recognizes Midway's historic and ongoing commitment to educating students from traditionally underrepresented groups.

Award and Application Process

The purpose of the Midway Minority scholarship is to attract students from diverse racial and ethnic backgrounds traditionally underrepresented in higher education. Midway will award a total of six \$5,000 scholarships each year.

Applicants should complete this application form and file a 2019-20 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.gov.

Priority Deadline	April 1, 2021
Submission by Mail	Midway University Office of Financial Aid 512 East Stephens St. Midway, KY 40347
Submission by Email	FAID@midway.edu
Submission by Fax	859-846-5751

Eligibility Requirements

- Meet admission requirements of Midway University
- Have significant financial need as demonstrated through the FAFSA
- Be a United States Citizen
- Be a first year student (fewer than 24 credits) enrolling in the daytime Undergraduate Program
- Renewal eligibility(up to eight semesters):
 - enroll full-time in the traditional Undergraduate Program (12+ credit hours per semester)
 - maintain a cumulative college GPA of 2.5
 - submit the FAFSA each year prior to the deadline set by the Financial Aid Office
 - participate as an active member of an approved Midway student service organization



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Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

High School _____

Intended Major _____

Are you a member of the PATH Mentoring Program Yes No

Race/Ethnicity (check all that apply):

- Asian Hispanic/Latino American Indian or Alaska Native
- Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- Middle Eastern/North African Other _____

Authorization to Release Information

I hereby authorize the Office of Admissions and the Office of Financial Aid to release any information concerning my academic and financial aid records to the Scholarship Committee and/or donating organization. I also certify that the information provided in this application is accurate and clearly states my eligibility and desire for scholarship consideration.

Signature (please print page and sign by hand)

Date

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ACT Composite _____ ACT English _____ ACT Math _____ SAT Critical Reading _____ SAT Math _____
 High School GPA _____ AP/CLEP Credits _____ Acceptance Date _____
 FAFSA Filing Date _____ EFC _____ Financial Need Exists Yes No



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Academic & School Activities

List and describe your most significant educational programs and activities, and note any academic honors or awards you have received. Answers should be typed. Please use multiple pages if additional space is necessary.

Examples:

- A/B Honor Roll (10th & 11th)
- AP Psychology & AP English
- ACT Summer Workshop
- Math Award (9th)
- Beta Club
- Homework Club



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Community, Extracurricular & Athletic Activities

List and describe your most significant commitments outside the classroom. Answers should be typed. Please use multiple pages if additional space is necessary.

Examples:

- Volleyball team (9th-12th), team captain (12th)
- High School Band (9th-10th)
- Organized food drive for 4-H Club
- Community Christmas Chorus
- Church Youth Group
- Teen Court



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Work, Volunteer & Family Activities

List and describe your most significant work, volunteer and family obligations outside of school. Answers should be typed. Please use multiple pages if additional space is necessary.

Examples:

- Job at Dairy Queen (10 hours/week)
- Food pantry volunteer (once a month)
- Teach Sunday School at church (weekly)
- After school care/tutoring for siblings
- Help care for grandparent/family member
- Help family member learn English



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Short Essay Responses

Please provide thorough responses to all three questions below. You should review your answers carefully for grammar, spelling and content. Answer each question in 250-500 words. Answers should be typed and attached separately.

1. How do you consider yourself a part of an underrepresented population or group? Explain how this relates to your educational goals and/or career plans.
2. Describe an instance where you were marginalized or experienced discrimination because of your racial or ethnic background. How did you respond? In what ways can you be a leader or advocate for others who may have had similar experiences?